

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA**

ALLIANCE FOR THE WILD
ROCKIES, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

TOM VILSACK, in his official
capacity as Secretary of the
Department of Agriculture, et al.,

Federal Defendants,

RAVALLI COUNTY, MONTANA,

Defendant-Intervenor,

STATE OF MONTANA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL
RESOURCES,

Defendant-Intervenor.

Case No. 9:24-cv-00010-DLC-KLD

[PROPOSED] ORDER

Before the Court is the Parties' Joint Motion to Lift Stay of Deadlines/Modify the Case Management Order. Accordingly, and good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that the Parties' Joint Motion is GRANTED, the stay of deadlines in the Case Management Order ordered on May 28, 2024, Dkt. 31, is LIFTED, and the Case Management Order is modified as follows:

Federal Defendants' and Intervenor-Defendants' Responsive Pleadings to Amended Complaint October 7, 2024

Federal Defendants lodge any supplement to the Administrative Record October 23, 2024

Deadline for motion to challenge any supplement to the Administrative Record¹ November 6, 2024

Plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment (9,000 words) December 13, 2024

Federal Defendants' combined cross-motion for summary judgment and response to Plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment (9,000 words) January 24, 2025

Intervenor-Defendants' combined cross motions for summary judgment and response to Plaintiffs' motion (7,000 words if a joint brief; 3,500 each if separate briefs) January 24, 2025

Plaintiffs' combined responses to Defendants' cross-motions for summary judgment and reply in support of their motion for summary judgment (10,000 words) February 21, 2025

Federal Defendants' Reply in support of their cross-motion for summary judgment (5,000 words) March 21, 2025

¹ This deadline applies only to a record motion challenging any supplementation of the Administrative Record because the May 24, 2024, deadline for challenging the previously lodged Administrative Record passed before the remaining deadlines were stayed. *See* Dkt. 16.

March 21, 2025

Intervenor-Defendants' Reply in support of their cross-motion for summary judgement (3,500 words if joint brief; 1,750 each if separate briefs)

DATED this ____ day of ____, 2024.

Honorable Kathleen L. DeSoto
United States Magistrate Judge